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#### Filing at a Glance

Company: Prudential Annuities Life Assurance Corporation

Product Name: END-DTH85(7/08) SERFF Tr Num: PRUD-125585435 State: ArkansasLH State Tr Num: 38643 TOI: A02.1G Group Annuities - Deferred Non- SERFF Status: Closed

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DTH85(7/08)

Filing Type: Form Co Status: IFSA Reviewer(s): Linda Bird

> Disposition Date: 04/14/2008 Authors: Joseph Boates, Larisa

GromykoPRUD, John Witteman, Anthony Pereira, Carolyn Cargnel

Date Submitted: 04/08/2008 Disposition Status: Approved

Implementation Date Requested: 07/21/2008 Implementation Date:

State Filing Description:

#### General Information

Project Name: END-DTH85(7/08) Status of Filing in Domicile: Pending

Project Number: END-DTH85(7/08) Date Approved in Domicile: **Domicile Status Comments:** Requested Filing Mode: Review & Approval

Market Type: Group Explanation for Combination/Other:

Submission Type: New Submission Group Market Size: Large

Overall Rate Impact:

Group Market Type: Discretionary Filing Status Changed: 04/14/2008 State Status Changed: 04/14/2008 Deemer Date:

Corresponding Filing Tracking Number:

Filing Description:

**VIA SERFF** 

April 8, 2008

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Honorable Julia Benafield Bowman

Insurance Commissioner

Life and Health Division

Arkansas Insurance Department

1200 West Third Street

Little Rock, AR 72201

Attn: Claudia Meeks, Rates and Form Filings

RE: Prudential Annuities Life Assurance Corporation ("Prudential, we, us")

NAIC #86630 FEIN #06-1241288

Forms Submitted for Approval:

Endorsement To Remove Death Benefit Age Restriction

Form No. END-DTH85(7/08)

Dear Ms. Meeks:

Prudential respectfully submits for your Approval the referenced Endorsement. This Endorsement will be made a part of its underlying annuity. The Endorsement is new and does not replace any existing Endorsement. We believe there is nothing new, unusual, or that deviates from standard industry practice in this Endorsement. It is designed for new business use once your Department provides review and acceptance, and it will apply to certain annuities previously approved or acknowledged by the Department that include the death benefit age restriction described in the Endorsement.

We confirm that except for the amendments in the referenced Endorsement being filed now with your Department, all other provisions of any affected underlying annuity that has received prior approval by your Department remain unchanged.

The purpose of the Endorsement is to amend the sections of its underlying annuity that pertain to the death benefit provision by deleting the age restriction referred to as "cut-off date." The removal of the age restriction (currently age 85)

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will allow the beneficiary to receive a more favorable death benefit which is the greater of: (1) the Account Value; and (2) the Minimum Death Benefit, which is the sum of all purchase payments reduced proportionately by the amount of withdrawals. This replaces the current provision wherein if death occurs on or after the "cut-off date", the Death Benefit is only the Account Value.

Any certifications or other materials Prudential believes you require are enclosed. Unless otherwise informed, Prudential reserves the right to alter the layout, color, sequential order, and typeface of these forms. Prudential confirms that any such change will be in conformance with your requirements. Prudential also believes that these forms are exempt from any "Flesch Score" or readability requirements or regulations under the provision exempting contracts filed as securities under federal law, because this Endorsement will be used with variable annuities that are so exempted.

Should you have any questions concerning this submission, please contact the undersigned as indicated below.

Very truly yours,

Carolyn S. Cargnel
Contract Specialist

Phone: (203) 925-3883

Email: carolyn.cargnel@prudential.com

Fax: (203) 944-7737

### **Company and Contact**

#### Filing Contact Information

Larisa Gromyko, Second Vice President,

Larisa.Gromyko@Prudential.com

**Director - Contracts** 

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One Corporate Drive (800) 628-6039 [Phone] Shelton, CT 06484 (203) 944-7510[FAX]

**Filing Company Information** 

Prudential Annuities Life Assurance CoCode: 86630 State of Domicile: Connecticut

Corporation

One Corporate Drive Group Code: 304 Company Type: Life

P.O. Box 883

Shelton, CT 06484 Group Name: Prudential Annuities State ID Number:

(800) 628-6039 ext. [Phone] FEIN Number: 06-1241288

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# **Filing Fees**

Fee Required? Yes Fee Amount: \$20.00

Retaliatory? No

Fee Explanation: 1 Endorsement Filing

Per Company: No

COMPANY AMOUNT DATE PROCESSED TRANSACTION #

Prudential Annuities Life Assurance \$20.00 04/08/2008 19364163

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# **Correspondence Summary**

#### **Dispositions**

Status	Created By	Created On	Date Submitted
Approved	Linda Bird	04/14/2008	04/14/2008

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# **Disposition**

Disposition Date: 04/14/2008

Implementation Date: Status: Approved

Comment:

Rate data does NOT apply to filing.

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Item Type	Item Name	Item Status	<b>Public Access</b>
Supporting Document	Certification/Notice		Yes
Supporting Document	Application		Yes
Supporting Document	Life & Annuity - Acturial Memo		No
Form	ENDORSEMENT TO REMOVE DEATH	1	Yes
	BENEFIT AGE RESTRICTION		

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#### Form Schedule

Lead Form Number: END-DTH85(7/08)

Review	Form	Form Type	e Form Name	Action	Action Specific	Readability	Attachment
Status	Number				Data		
	END-	Certificate	ENDORSEMENT TO	Olnitial			Cutoff Date
	DTH85(7/0	) Amendme	n REMOVE DEATH				Age 85
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# PRUDENTIAL ANNUITIES LIFE ASSURANCE CORPORATION ONE CORPORATE DRIVE SHELTON, CONNECTICUT 06484

(A Stock Company)

# ENDORSEMENT TO REMOVE DEATH BENEFIT AGE RESTRICTION

**Effective Date:** The Effective Date of this Endorsement is the Issue Date as shown in the Schedule of your Annuity.

**Owner/Participant:** The term "Owner" may be referred to as "Participant" in your Annuity. In this Endorsement, for simplicity, the Participant is referred to as Owner.

This Endorsement is made a part of your Annuity. If the terms of your Annuity and those of this Endorsement conflict, the provisions of this Endorsement shall control. With the exception of the amendment described below, no other sections or provisions of your Annuity are amended.

This Endorsement amends the Death Benefit provision of your Annuity by deleting the age restriction referred to as "Cut-off Date." The Cut-off Date section shown in the Schedule of your Annuity is not applicable. That section of the Spousal Continuation provision that references a spouse's age eligibility for the Minimum Death Benefit is not applicable and is hereby deleted. The section of the Death Benefit provision that describes the death benefit proceeds is amended to state:

The death benefit is as follows, and is subject to the conditions described in (1) and (2) below:

- (1) The death benefit is the greater of (a) and (b), where:
  - (a) is your Account Value in any Sub-accounts plus the Interim Value of any Fixed Allocations; and
  - (b) is the minimum death benefit ("Minimum Death Benefit"). The Minimum Death Benefit is the sum of all Purchase Payments reduced proportionately by the amount of any withdrawals. Each withdrawal reduces the Purchase Payments by the same ratio as the amount of the withdrawal to the Account Value prior to the withdrawal.
- (2) If a decedent was not named an Owner or Annuitant as of the Issue Date and did not become such as a result of a prior Owner's or Annuitant's death, the Minimum Death Benefit is suspended as to that person for a two year period from the date he or she first became an Owner or Annuitant. After the suspension period is completed, the death benefit is the same as if such person had been an Owner or Annuitant on the Issue Date. During the suspension period, the death benefit is your Account Value in the Sub-accounts plus the Interim Value of any Fixed Allocations.

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Secretary	

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#### **Rate Information**

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# **Supporting Document Schedules**

**Review Status:** 

Satisfied -Name: Certification/Notice 03/28/2008

**Comments: Attachments:** AR - 7.pdf

AR - 7a.pdf

Review Status:

Satisfied -Name: Application 03/28/2008

Comments:

Not applicable to filing.

Review Status:

Satisfied -Name: Life & Annuity - Acturial Memo 03/28/2008

Comments:

Not applicable to filing.

#### American Skandia Life Assurance Corporation (A Prudential Financial Company) One Corporate Drive Shelton, CT 06484

#### **STATE OF ARKANSAS**

#### **CERTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE**

I hereby certify that American Skandia Life Assurance Company complies with the requirements of Rules and Regulation #34 of the Arkansas Insurance Department regarding our Form No. END-DTH85(7/08)

Larisa Gromyko – 2<sup>nd</sup> VP, Director - Contracts

April 8, 2008 Date



400 University Tower Building 1123 South University Ave. Little Rock, Arkansas 72204

501-686-2900

Lee Douglass Insurance Commissioner

ATTN: LIFE & HEALTH DIVISION, ARKANSAS INSURANCE DEPARTMENT

\*\*\*THESE FEES ARE PAYABLE AS REQUIRED IN ARK. ANN. § 23-61-401.

Company Name: Prudential Annuities Life Assurance Corporation (A Prudential Financia	l Company)				
Company NAIC Code: 86630	_				
Company Contact Person & Telephone # Carolyn S. Cargnel (203) 925-3883					
INSURANCE DEPARTMENT USE ONLY					
ANALYST: AMOUNT: ROUTE SLIP:					
ALL FEES ARE PER EACH INSURER. PER ANNUAL STATEMENT LINE OF UNLESS OTHERWISE INDICATED.	F BUSINESS.				
FEE SCHEDULE FOR ADMITTED INSURERS					
RATE/FORM FILINGS Life and/or Disability policy form filing and review, per each policy, contract, annuity	*x \$ 50 =				
form, per each insurer, per each filing.	**Retaliatory				
Life and/or Disability - Filing and review of each rate filing or loss ratio guarantee filing,	*x \$ 50 =				
per each insurer.	**Retaliatory				
Life and/or Disability: Filing and review of Annuity Forms: Filing and review of each	* 1 x \$ 20 = \$20.00				
certificate, rider, endorsement or application if each is filed separately from the basic form.	**Retaliatory				
Life and/or Disability: Filing and review of					
Insurer's advertisements, per advertisement, per each insurer.	*x \$ 25 =				
AMEND CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY	**Retaliatory				
Review and processing of information to amend an Insurer's Certificate of Authority.	* x \$400=				
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Filing to amend Certificate of Authority.	***x \$100=				
*THESE FEES ARE PAYABLE UNDER THE NEW FEE SCHEDULE AS OUTLINED UNDER RULE AND REGULATION 57.					
**THESE FEES ARE PAYABLE UNDER THE OLD FEE SCHEDULE AS OUTLINED UNDER ARE	C. CODE ANN. 23-63-102,				